

# RE Progression in Vocabulary across year groups



	FS2 (Discovering)	KS1 (Exploring)	Lower KS2 (Connecting)	UpperKS2 (Connecting)
<b>The general language of religious study</b>	Religion Special books Special places Special stories Prayer	Religion, celebration, festival, symbol, thankful, faith, belief, wise Sayings, rules for living, co-operation, belonging, worship, holiness, sacred, creation story.	Religion, spiritual, commitment, values, prayer, pilgrimage, ritual, symbol, community, worship, devotion, belief, life after death, destiny, soul, inspiration, role-model	Religion, harmony, respect, justice, faith, inter-faith, tolerance, moral values, religious plurality, moral codes, holiness, spiritual, inspiration, vision, symbol, community, commitment, values, sources of wisdom, spiritual, Golden Rule, charity, place of worship, sacred text, devotion, prayer, worship, compassion, prejudice, persecution
<b>Christianity</b>	Christmas Bible Church Jesus	Christian, God, Creator, Christmas, Easter, Jesus, church, altar, font, Bible, gospel	Christian, Christmas, Easter, Pentecost, Harvest Festival, Messiah, liturgy, church, Gospel, Jesus, Holy Spirit, God the Creator, Trinity, Heaven	Christian, Jewish, Bible, Gospel, Letters of Saint Paul, Trinity, Incarnation, Holy Spirit, resurrection, Christmas, Easter, Pentecost, Eucharist, agape
<b>Judaism</b>	Moses Passover Torah Synagogue	Jewish, synagogue, Torah, bimah, Chanukah/Hanukkah, ark, Judaism, Shabbat, mezuzah, Tenakh	Jewish, Judaism, Moses, Exodus, Lawgiver, Ten Commandments, Star of David, Passover/Pesach, Shabbat, Shema, Torah	Judaism, Jewish, synagogue, schul, Jerusalem, Western Wall, Orthodox, Reform, Tu B'Shevat, tzedakah, tikkun olam
<b>Islam</b>	Allah Prophet Muhammad Qu'ran Mosque	Muslim, Islam, Allah, Prophet, mosque, Eid, Qu'ran, moon and star, Ramadan, tawhid	Muslim, Islam, Allah, Prophet, mosque, Qu'ran, surah, moon and star, paradise	Muslim, Allah, Prophethood, Ummah, 5 pillars, Prophet Muhammad, Iman (faith), akhlaq (character or moral conduct) Qu'ran, Hadith, Mosque, Hajj
<b>Hindu Dharma</b>			Hindu, mandir, murtis, gods, goddesses, Diwali, Aum, Trimurti, dharma, Ramayana	Hindu, ahimsa, karma, dharma, murtis, Brahman, mandir, gods, goddesses, shrines, Mahatma
<b>Non-religious worldviews</b>	Non-religious	Humanist, Golden Rule, non-religious	Humanist, Golden Rule, non-religious, 'spiritual but not religious', atheist	Atheist, agnostic, Humanist, rationalist, Golden Rule, 'spiritual but not religious'